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**ANNUAL REPORTS**  
**of the Town Officers**  
**of**  
**BROOKLINE, N. H.**  
**for the**  
*Year Ending January 31*  
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# Town Officers for 1939-1940

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## Town Clerk

FORACE R. HALL

## Selectmen

LAWRENCE E. COREY

FRANK A. AUSTIN

NASON W. FESSENDEN

## Town Treasurer

PEARL WILKINS

## Tax Collector

G. LEONARD RIPPON

## Overseer of Poor

WILLIAM P. LATHE

## Moderator

GEORGE M. ROCKWOOD

## Chief of Police

CHESTER A. BARNABY

## Fire Steward

WILFRED J. SOUCY

## Engineers

GEORGE M. ROCKWOOD

ROBERT WRIGHT

ELDORUS C. FESSENDEN

## Supervisors

DARRELL F. WILKINS

ELMER W. COREY

G. LEONARD RIPPON

## Auditors

WALTER B. FESSENDEN

DARRELL F. WILKINS

**Road Agent**

GROVER C. FARWELL

**Health Officer**

ALTON C. JENSEN

**Finance Committee**DAVID W. FESSENDEN      GEORGE M. ROCKWOOD  
FREDERIC W. ATWOOD**Dog Constable**

CHESTER A. BARNABY

**Town Trustees**ARTHUR A. GOSS      WARREN C. BARNABY  
HARLAN J. WHITCOMB**Tree Warden**

DELBERT W. PORTER

**Sexton**

GEORGE DAVIS

**Surveyors of Wood and Lumber**

NORMAN J. SPENCER      HARRY K. WILKINS

**Library Trustees**MRS. BLANCHE MOESE      MRS. HELEN COREY  
DAVID W. FESSENDEN**Memorial Committee**NORMAN J. SPENCER      FORACE R. HALL  
GROVER C. FARWELL**Ways and Means Committee**E. C. FESSENDEN      FORACE R. HALL  
HARLAN J. WHITCOMB      LLEWELLYN S. POWERS  
FREDERIC W. ATWOOD**Janitor**

FRED J. MANNING

# Warrant for Annual Meeting

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To the inhabitants of the Town of Brockline, County of Hillsborough, and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in  
Town and State Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in Daniels Academy Building, in said town on Tuesday, March 12, 1940 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects, and any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

1. To choose all town officers for the ensuing year.
2. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray town charges for the ensuing year.
3. To hear reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees and all other officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relative to same.
4. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for highways and bridges.
5. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day.
6. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Public Library.
7. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.
8. To see if the town will vote to allow any discount on property taxes.
9. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to distribute inventory blanks when assessing, instead of mailing.
10. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Cemeteries.
11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum necessary to secure State Aid for permanent improvements of Highways or take any action relative thereto.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum necessary to match Federal Funds for obtaining W. P. A. or other Federal Aid.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum necessary to insure Daniels Academy Building or take any action relative thereto.

14. To see if the town will vote to eliminate the printing of Vital Statistics in the Town Reports or take any action relative thereto.

15. To see if the town will vote to accept \$300.00 for the perpetual care of the Anna M. Sanborn lot in Pine Grove Cemetery. Said sum having been bequeathed by the late Anna M. Sanborn.

16. To see if the town will vote to clear up the "Cemetery in the Woods" near the Rideout Place, and put up a new fence around same, and appropriate the sum of \$25 00 to cover expense, or take any action relative thereto.

17. To see if the town will vote to have a Planning Board consisting of five members with powers and authorities similar to those held by other planning boards in the State. For the purpose of promoting the development of the town, contacting new industry prospects, and other activities that might properly be handled by such a board.

18. To see if the town will vote to petition the state tax commission to have an audit made by the municipal accounting division and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

19. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$528.26 from the Brookline Engine Company, already turned in to the town treasury to be used for Fire Fighting Equipment.

20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum necessary to pay the insurance on all members of the Fire Department, and other minor exepnses of the department.



## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BROOKLINE

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing  
Year February 1, 1940 to January 31, 1941, compared with  
Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, Feb-  
ruary 1, 1939 to January 31, 1940

Sources of Revenue	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1939	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1940	Increase	Decrease
From State:				
Int. and dividends tax	\$253.06	253.06		
Insurance tax	4.09	4.09		
Railroad tax	147.14			147.14
Savings Bank tax	153.18	153.18		
For fighting forest fires	6.85			6.85
From Local Sources				
Except taxes:				
Rent of Town Hall and other buildings	513.94	450.00		63.94
Interest received on Taxes and deposits	401.29	400.00		1.29
Motor Veh'le Permit fees	548.21	548.21		
From Local Taxes Other than Property taxes				
(a) Poll Taxes	430.00	500.00	70.00	
(b) National Bank Stock taxes	15.00	15.00		
Total Revenues from All Sources Except Property taxes	2,472.76	2,323.54	70.00	219.22
*Amt. to be raised by Property taxes		18,478.82		
Total Revenues	2,472.76	20,802.36	70.00	219.22

\*Total estimated "Revenues from All Sources except Property Taxes" de-  
ducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated  
"Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BROOKLINE

Sources of Expenditures	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1939	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1940	Increase	Decrease
<b>Current Maintenance Expenses:</b>				
General Government:				
Town officers salaries	894.89	1,000.00	105.11	
Town officers exp.	274.37	325.00	50.63	
Election and Registration expenses	42.00	107.00	65.00	
Exp. Town Hall and other town bldgs.	1,637.10	1,400.00		237.10
Protection of Persons and Property				
Police Department	61.50	60.00		1.50
Fire Department	3,437.50	750.00		2,687.50
Health:				
Health Department, including				
Hospitals	2.16	2.16		
Vital Statistics	11.90	11.90		
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Maintenance	1,518.42	1,500.00		18.42
Street Lighting	641.63	699.96	58.33	
General Exp. of Highway				
Department	96.21			96.21
Snow Plowing	1,269.50	1,200.00		69.50
Libraries:				
Libraries	75.00	75.00		
Public Welfare:				
Town Poor	735.35	735.35		
Old Age Assistance	695.00	900.00	205.00	
Patriotic Purposes:				
Memorial Day and other				
Celebrations	57.00	60.00	3.00	
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries:	100.00	100.00		

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BROOKLINE

Sources of Expenditures	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1939	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1940	Increase	Decrease
Interest:				
On Bonded Debt	201.25	175.00		26.25
On Principal of Trust Funds				
Used by Town	372.00	372.00		
<b>Outlay for New Const. and Perm. Improve't</b>				
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Const. W. P. A.	578.72	500.00		78.72
State Aid Construction				
Town's share T. R. A.	302.29	303.03	.74	
Hurricane Repairs, Town's Share	30.99			30.99
<b>Indebtedness:</b>				
Payment on Principal of Debt:				
(a) Bonds	1,000.00	1,000.00		
<b>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</b>				
County Taxes	4,285.28	4,110.96		174.32
Payments to School Districts	5,233.66	5,415.00	181.34	
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>23,553.72</b>	<b>20,802.36</b>	<b>669.15</b>	<b>3,420.51</b>

### INVENTORY OF TOWN FOR 1939 .

Real Estate	\$429,494.00
Electric Plants	30,038.00
Poll Taxes, 265 at \$2.00	530.00
Horses, 32	2,180.00
Cows, 45	2,745.00
Sheep, 5	75.00
Fowls, 3571	3,518.00
Portable Mills	2,100.00
Wood and Lumber	3,150.00
Gas Pumps	250.00
Stock in Trade	9,100.00
Mills and Machinery	700.00
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	\$483,880.00
Rate	\$40.00
Committed to Collector	\$19,666.61
Soldiers' Exemption	10,800.00
Blind Exemption	\$1,000.00

### APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1939

Town Charges	\$7,000.00
Highways and Bridges	1,500.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Public Library	75.00
Cemeteries	100.00
Class V Roads	302.29
Town Hall	2,000.00
Fire Department	1,800.00
W. P. A.	500.00
County Tax	4,285.28
Schools	\$4,429.95
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Total	\$22,042.52

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Town Charges	\$7,000.00	\$6,937.86	\$62.14	
Highways and Bridges	1,500.00	1,614.63		114 63
Memorial Day	50.00	57.00		7.00
Library	75.00	75.00		
Cemeteries	100.00	100.00		
Class 5 Roads	302.29	302.29		
Town Hall	2,000.00	1,637.10	362.90	
Fire Department	600.00	719.50		119.50
Fire Dept. New Equip.	1,200.00	1,265.81		65.81
W. P. A.	500.00	578.72		78.72
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	13,327.29	13,287.91	425 04	385.66

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
1. Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$15,650.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,400.00
2. Libraries, Lands and Buildings	
Furniture and Equipment	700 00
3. Police Department, Lands and Buildings	
Equipment	25.00
4. Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	1,500.00
Equipment	6,500.00
5. Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	300.00
Equipment	400.00
6. Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	100.00
10. All lands and buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds	11,900.00
11. All other Property and Equipment: Town Forest	2,500.00
 TOTAL	<hr/> \$41,975.00

# FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF BROOKLINE IN HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY

For the Fiscal Year Ended January 31, 1940

## ASSETS

Cash:	
In hands of treasurer	6,820.13
Unredeemed Taxes:	
(from tax sale on account of)	
(b) Levy of 1938	620.29
(d) Previous Years	7,471.00
Uncollected Taxes:	
(a) Levy of 1939	7,011.56
(b) Levy of 1938	53.00
(c) Levy of 1937	20.00
Total Assets	21,995.98
GRAND TOTAL	21,995.98
Surplus January 31, 1939	4,081.19
Surplus, January 31, 1940	5,031.03
Increase of Surplus	949.84

## LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:	
Bills outstanding	755.00
Due to School Districts:	
(b) Balance of Appropriation	1,909.95
Bonds Outstanding:	
Refunding Town Debt	5,000.00

Trust Funds, Amount of Principal	
Used by Town:	9,300.00
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Total Liabilities	\$16,964.95
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	5,031.03
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Grand Total	21,995.98

## RECEIPTS

## Current Revenue:

## From Local Taxes:

Total taxes committed to

collector, 1939 19,666.61

Less discounts and abate-

ments, 1939 269.60

Less uncollected, 1939 7,011.56

1. Property taxes, current year

actually collected 12,028.45

2. Poll taxes, current year actually

collected 342.00

3. National Bank Stock taxes 15.00

4. Total of current year's collections

12,385.45

5. Property and poll taxes previous

years actually collected

5,587.47

6. Tax sales redeemed

1,485.29

## From State:

8. Interest and dividend tax

253.06

9. Insurance tax

4.09

10. Railroad tax

147.14

11. Savings bank tax

153.18

13. Fighting forest fires

6.85

## From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

20. Rent of town property

513.94

21. Interest received on taxes

418.33

23. Income from trust funds

260.64

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25. Income from departments	1,569 24
27. Registration of motor vehicles, 1939 Permits	542.89
Registration of motor vehicles, 1940 Permits	5.32
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Total Current Revenue Receipts	23,332.89
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Total Receipts From all Sources	\$23,332.89
Cash on hand February 1, 1939	9,053.28
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Grand Total	\$32,386.17

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### PAYMENTS

#### Current Maintenance Expense:

##### General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries	\$894.89
2. Town officers' expenses	274.37
3. Election and registration expenses	42.00
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	1,637.10

##### Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police department, including care of tramps	61.50
7. Fire department, including forest fires	3,437.50
9. Bounties	2.20
10. Damage by dogs	51.50

##### Health:

11. Health department, including hospitals	2.16
12. Vital statistics	11.90

##### Highways and Bridges:

15. Town Road Aid	302.29
16. Town maintenance	2,884.13
17. Street lighting and sprinkling	641.63
18. General Expenses of Highway Department	201.35



## Libraries:

19. Libraries	75.00
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## Public Welfare:

20. Old Age Assistance	695.00
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21. Town Poor	735.35
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## Patriotic Purposes:

23. Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day Exercises	57.00
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## Public Service Enterprises:

28. Cemeteries, includ. hearse hire	100.00
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## Unclassified:

30. Taxes bought by town	1,757.27
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## Interest:

34. Paid on bonded debt	201.25
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35. Paid on principal of trust funds used by town	272.00
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Total Interest payments	\$573.25
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## Outlay for New Construction and Permanent

## Improvements:

37. Hurricane Repairs, Town's Share	30.99
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38. Highways and Bridges—Town Construction W. P. A.	578.72
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Total Outlay Payments	609.71
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## Indebtedness:

47. Payments on bonded debt	1,000.00
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Total Indebtedness Payments	\$1,000.00
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## Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

52. Taxes paid to County	4,285.28
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54. Payments to School Districts	5,233.66
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Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions	\$9,518.94
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Total Payments for all Purposes	\$25,566.04
Cash on hand January 31, 1940	\$6,820.13
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Grand Total	\$32,386.17

## CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Dated Feb. 7, 1940.

LAWRENCE E. COREY

FRANK A. AUSTIN

NASON W. FESSENDEN

Selectmen

PEARL E. WILKINS

Treasurer

## REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

### Motor Vehicle Permits

#### DR.

Cash received for 227 Permits	542.89
(Year of 1939—40)	
Cash received for 3 Permits	5.32

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Total Received	\$548.21
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#### CR.

Cash Paid Town Treasurer	\$548.21
Audited Feb. 5, 1940	

Darrell F. Wilkins  
Walter B. Fessenden  
Auditors

### Dog Licenses

#### DR.

Received for		
55 Male Dog Licenses at \$2.00	\$110.00	
8 Female Dog Licenses at 5.00	40.00	
		\$150.00

#### CR.

Paid for issuing 63 Licenses at .20 each	12.60	
Paid Town Treasurer	137.40	
		\$150.00

Audited, Feb. 5, 1940

Darrell F. Wilkins  
Walter B. Fessenden  
Auditors

## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

#### DR.

From Feb. 1—Mar. 14	
Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1939	\$9053.28
Cash received from:	
C. Walter Bishop, Tax Collector, taxes	217.97

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Forace R. Hall, Town Clerk, Motor Vehicle Permits	57.35
Fred J. Manning, Hall rent	29.00
Fred J. Manning, sale of paper	1.45

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Total Received	\$9359.05
Less Selectmen's Orders Paid	1766.79

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Cash on Hand March 14, 1939	\$7592.26
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Forace R. Hall

Town Treasurer

Audited March 14, 1939

Darrell F. Wilkins

David W. Fessenden

Auditors

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### TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT OF DOG LICENSE MONEY

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1939	\$125.40
Received from Town Clerk	137.40

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Balance Jan. 31, 1940	\$262.30
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Submitted, Pearl E. Wilkins,

Town Treasurer

Approved Feb. 7, 1940

Darrell F. Wilkins

Walter B. Fessenden

Auditors

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### TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1940

Balance Feb. 1, 1939	\$9053.28
Receipts	
Chester Barnaby, Redemptions	44.65
C. Walter Bishop, Taxes 1938	5988.87
C. Walter Bishop, Redemptions	303.66
G. Leonard Rippon, Taxes 1939	12400.54
G. Leonard Rippon, Redemptions	1154.02
Chester Barnaby, Wm. Hughes rent	50.00

Nason Fessenden, W. E. Corey rent	172.94
Brookline Grange, Hall rent	75.00
Fred Manning, Hall rent	81.00
Fred Manning, Table paper	5.05
Fred Manning, Telephone refunds	.95
George Rockwood, Use of Fire Equip.	22.85
George Rockwood, Telephone charges	6.65
Town Trustees, Fire Equipment Fund	923.93
Fire Dept. Dance proceeds	528.26
Forace Hall, Motor Vehicle Permits 1939	542.89
Forace Hall, Motor Vehicle Permits 1940	5.32
Forace Hall, Tarring driveways	25.91
Barbara Bishop, Student Aid refund	6.10
School District, Expense reimbursement	135.00
Worcester Trust, Dodge fund	230.64
State of N. H., Insurance Tax	4.09
State of N. H., Railroad Tax	147.14
State of N. H., Savings Bank Tax	153.18
State of N. H., Interest and Dividends Tax	253.06
Frank Austin, Sale Town land	15.00
Grover Farwell, Discount taken	.45
Timber Salvage, Land lease	.62
Helen Rockwood, Funds unaccounted for	25.12

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Less Selectmen's orders

25566.04

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Balance Jan. 31 1940

6820.13

Submitted by Pearl E. Wilkins

Treasurer

Approved Feb. 8, 1940

Darrell F. Wilkins

Walter B. Fessenden

Auditors

### Town Treasurer's Report of Outstanding Bonds and Notes

Bonds at 3½ % Interest

No.	Sold to	Amount	Date	Due
R 8	Fred A. Hall	\$500.00	July 15, 1940	
R 9	Fred A. Hall	500.00	Jan. 15, 1941	
R 10	Forace R. Hall	500.00	July 15, 1941	
R 11	Forace R. Hall	500.00	Jan. 15, 1942	
R 12	Forace R. Hall	500.00	July 15, 1942	
R 13	Forace R. Hall	500.00	Jan. 15, 1943	
R 14	George P. Bradford	500.00	July 15, 1943	
R 15	Ellen S. Swett	500.00	Jan. 15, 1944	
R 16	George P. Bradford	500.00	July 15, 1944	
R 18	Fred A. Holt Estate	500.00	July 15, 1945	

Demand notes held by Town Trustees to the Amount of \$9,300.00. Rate of interest 4%.

A true Copy of Records,

Attest:

PEARL E. WILKINS, Town Treasurer.

Audited, February 11, 1940.

DARRELL F. WILKINS,

WALTER B. FESSENDEN,

Auditors.

### DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Balance	\$9053.28
G. L. Rippon, 1939 Real Estate Taxes	12043.45
G. L. Rippon, 1939 Poll Taxes	342.00
G. L. Rippon, Interest on Taxes	7.69
G. L. Rippon, Penalties	7.40
G. L. Rippon, 1938 Redemptions	1136.95
G. L. Rippon, Interest on Redemptions	17.04
C. W. Bishop, Previous years Taxes	5499.47
C. W. Bishop, Previous years Polls	88.00
C. W. Bishop, Penalties	7.80
C. W. Bishop, Interest	393.60
C. W. Bishop, Redemptions on 1937 Taxes	303.66
C. A. Barnaby, Previous years Redemptions	44.65
State of N. H. Forest Fire Refund	6.85
State of N. H., Insurance Tax	4.09

State of N. H., Railroad Tax	147.14
State of N. H., Savings Bank Tax	153.18
State of N. H. Interest and Dividend Tax	253.06
Fred Manning, Janitor, Rent of Town Hall	81.00
Brookline Grange, Rent of Town Hall	75.00
Walter E. Corey, Tax Rent	172.94
William Hughes, Tax Rent	50.00
Brookline School District, Light, Heat and Rent	135.00
Worcester County Savings Bank, Dodge Fund	260.64
Forace R. Hall, Motor Vehicle Permit fees	548.21
Fred Manning, Sale of Paper and Telephone calls	6.00
George Rockwood, Use of Fire Equipment	22.65
Brookline Engine Co., Dance proceeds for Fire Equip.	1452.19
Frank Austin, Sale of Town Land	15.00
Forace R. Hall, Tar	25.91
U. S. Government, Land Lease	.62
Barbara Bishop, Student Aid Refund	6.10
Helen Rockwood, Tdeasurer balance	25.12
Grover Farwell, Refund	.45

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\$32386.17

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### Town Officers Salaries

David W. Fessenden, Auditor	\$ 15.00
Darrell F. Wilkins, Auditor	15.00
Forace R. Hall, Treasurer	5.00
C. W. Bishop, Tax Collector	59.79
G. L. Rippon, Tax Collector	115.10
Wm. P. Lathe, Overseer of Poor	100.00
Lawrence E. Corey, Selectman	100.00
Frank A. Austin, Selectman	100.00
Nason W. Fessenden, Selectman	250.00
E. C. Fessenden, Engineer	10.00
George M. Rockwood, Engineer	10.00
Robert Wright, Engineer	10.00
Forace R. Hall, Town Clerk	50.00
Helen Rockwood, Treasurer	25.00

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Pearl Wilkins, Treasurer	20.00
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\$894.89

**Town Officers Expenses**

Wm. P. Lathe, 2 Overseer's meetings and use of car	\$ 8.00
C. A. Morse, Postage	17.98
N. E. Tel. and Tel. Co., Telephone	82.65
Donat Corriveau, Returning Transfers	8.70
Edson C. Eastman, Supplies	42.04
Edson C. Eastman, Attending Tax meeting and delivering reports	7.00
Lawrence E. Corey, Attending Tax and Road meetings	11.00
Nason W. Fessenden, Attending Tax and Road meetings	8.00
Bessie M. Klein, Town Bonds	80.00
Grover C. Farwell, Attending Rd. Meeting	7.00
Branham Printing Co., Auto Reference book	2.00

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\$274.37

**Election and Registration**

Banner Press, Printing Ballots	\$3.00
Hazel Davis, Ballot Inspector	3.00
Arthur Popple, Ballot Inspector	3.00
Mable Popple, Ballot Clerk	3.00
David Fessenden, Ballot Clerk, services given	
G. L. Rippon, Supervisor	10.00
Elmer Corey, Supervisor	10.00
Darrell F. Wilkins, Supervisor	10.00

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\$42.00

**Town Hall**

Fred Manning, Janitor	\$ 480.00
Haseltine and Caldwell, Coal	130.36
N. H. Gas & Elec. Co., Light and Power	106.75
Fred Manning, Supplies	5.52
National Slate Roofing Co. Roof repairs	35.00



O. D. Fessenden Co., Supplies	21.01	
A. A. Hall Co., Supplies	29.17	
Harry Hersey, Tuning piano	3.50	
Leo Ouellette, Painting Town Hall and Fire Station	550.00	
The County Stores, Lawn sprinkler	3.00	
Alton Jensen, repairs	3.00	
Frank Austin, repairs	2.80	
D. Whiting and Sons, Coal	111.98	
John Tredennick Co., Coal	155.01	
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		\$1637.10

**Police**

Chester Barnaby, Chief of Police	\$50.00	
Wm. C. Quigley, Special	11.50	
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		\$61.50

**Fire Department**

Treasurer of Engine Co.		
Firemen's salaries	\$157.50	
Crocker Hospital, X-Ray (Nason Fessenden)	5.00	
N. H. Gas & Electric Co. Light	9.00	
George Shattuck, Coal	29.00	
George Rockwood, Supplies and Watching Fires	53.10	
George Rockwood, Forest Fire bills	82.30	
Hope Rubber Co., Supplies	3.03	
Fireman's Retirement Fund, Insurance for 13 Firemen	39.00	
Leo Austin, Labor on roof	13.05	
Wilfred J. Soucy, Stewards salary	100.00	
A. A. Hall Co., Supplies	61.62	
Liquid Carbonic Corp., Saf-Dry Gas	20.00	
State of N. H., 12 Knapsack Pumps	42.00	
E. C. Fessenden, Supplies and repairs	104.90	
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		\$719.50

**Fire Dept. New Equipment**

E. C. Fessenden, 1939 Chevrolet Truck	
Chassis	\$ 598.00

Hope Rubber Co., Forest Fire Pump	
with Hose	780.00
Hope Rubber Co., Suction Hose	110.00
Farrar Body Co., Barton Pump and	
Truck Body	1230.00

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\$2718.00

The Brookline Engine Company gave \$1,452.19 from dance proceeds toward purchasing this new apparatus, leaving the actual cost to the town of only \$1,265.81.

### Bounties

Guy Mathews, 1 Hedgehog	\$0.20
Grover Farwell, Jr., 1 Hedgehog	.20
Norman Harley, 4 Hedgehogs	.80
Alvin Taylor, 2 Hedgehogs	.40
Orville Fessenden, 3 Hedgehogs	.60

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\$2.20

### Cemeteries

1939 Appropriation	\$100.00
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\$100.00

### Taxes Bought By Town

C. W. Bishop, Tax Sale Levy of 1938	\$1,757.27
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\$1,757.27

### Miscellaneous

Banner Press, Printing town reports	\$95.00
Insurance on Hughes Property	12.00
O. D. Fessenden Co., Watering troughs	15.00
Grover C. Farwell, watering trough	5.00
Forace R. Hall, issuing 225 Motor Vehicle	
Permits	56.25
Forace R. Hall, Justice of Peace fee	1.50
Treasurer of United Church, Care of Town	
Clock	15.00

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Harry Corey, labor on Hurricane repairs	1.60	
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\$201.35

**Interest**

Interest on Bonded Debt	\$201.25	
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Interest on Trust Funds	372.00	
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\$573.25

**State Aid Construction**

State of N. H. Town's share on T. R. A.	\$302.29	
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State of N. H. Town's share, Hurricane repairs	30.99	
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\$333.28

**W. P. A.**

Town's share, Fire Hazard Reduction Project		
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\$578.72

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\$578.72

**Vital Statistics**

Dr. Henry Dearborn, returning 3 deaths	\$0.75	
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Wheeler & Clark, Supplies	1.75	
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W. Boisclair, returning 4 deaths	.40	
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C. W. Bishop, returning 9 marriages	2.25	
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Forace R. Hall, Town Clerk, 27 returns	6.75	
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\$11.90

**Town Maintenance**

Grover C. Farwell, Road Agent, Summer		
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Roads	\$1446.24	
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Grover C. Farwell, Road Agent, Winter		
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Roads	72.18	
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Grover C. Farwell, Road Agent, Sanding	96.21	
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Arvo C. Bedders, Snow Plowing	1,269.50	
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\$2,884.13

**Street Lights**

N. H. Gas and Electric Co.,	\$641.63	
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\$641.63

**Libraries**

1939 Appropriation	\$75.00	
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\$75.00

**Old Age Assistance**

State of N. H., Town's share 25%	\$695.00	
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\$695.00

**Town Poor**

William P. Lathe, Welfare Orders	\$735.35	
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\$735.35

**Memorial Day**

1939 Appropriation	\$50.00	
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Overdraft	7.00	
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\$57.00

**Bonds**

George P. Bradford, Payment of Bonds		
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No. R-6	\$500.00	
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Ellen Swett, Payment of Bond		
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No. R-7	500.00	
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\$1,000.00

**County Tax**

Hillsborough County Treasurer, 1939		
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tax	\$4,285.28	
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\$4,285.28

**School District**

1938 Appropriation	\$2,337.62	
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Dodge Fund	260.64	
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1938 Dog Money	115.40	
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1939 Appropriation	2,520.00
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\$5,233.66

### Damage By Dogs

Wheeler and Clark, Dog Licenses	\$4 00
Chester Barnaby, Dog Officer's Salary	10.00
Arthur Tasker, Dog Damage to Turkeys	37.50

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\$51.50

### Health Department

Alton C. Jensen, testing town water	\$2.16
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\$2.16

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### ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

G. C. Farwell, foreman	17.50
G. C. Farwell, truck	400.99
B. H. Marshall, truck	80.99
D. W. Porter, truck	56.24
E. Farnsworth, labor	17.20
G. F. Farwell, labor	81.60
Robert Wright, labor	34.00
K. Hall, labor	3.20
H. Hall, labor	25.60
L. Meloy, labor	20.40
R. Austin, labor	3.20
J. McPhail, labor	49.60
A. Austin, labor	18.00
E. Hall, labor	19.20
W. Jillson, labor	92.00
R. F. Wright, labor	68.00
F. Wright, labor	28.00
J. Davis, labor	19.20
Fred Hall, labor	10.00
W. Creighton, labor	7.60
F. Jepson, labor	2.40
K. Jensen, labor	2.00
L. LaPlante, labor	3.20

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S. Homoleski, labor	3.20
S. H. Wheeler, labor	2.40
E. Davis, labor	9.60
W. H. Taylor, labor	19.20
A. Ouellette, labor	17.60
L. LaPlante, truck	3.00
Bancrof & Morton, culvert	17.80
Penn Culvert Co., culvert	22.50
Hume Pipe Co., culvert	20.00
John Dechamps, blacksmith	4.40
Allied Steel Co., steel	27.43
Fifes & O'Keefe, blade	15.00
Kopper Tar, tar	233.14
O. D. Fessenden Co., sand	3.00
D. W. Porter, sand	2.00
G. C. Farwell, plank	12.00
F. R. Hall, plank	8.00
F. A. Hall, plank	4.32
E. C. Fessenden, garage bill	4.25
H. J. Whitcomb, shovels	3.75
A. A. Hall Co., merchandise	19.86
A. A. Goss, use of blasting machine	2.00

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1514.57

Audited Feb. 3, 1940

Darrell F. Wilkins

Walter B. Fessenden

Auditors.

**Sanding Roads**

G. C. Farwell, truck	35.99
L. Ingraham, truck	19.12
F. Johnson, labor	3.60
C. Fusco, labor	2.80
G. F. Farwell, labor	7.20
G. C. Farwell, Jr.,	2.00
A. Bent, labor	2.00
F. Bricault, labor	4.00
E. Farnsworth, labor	3.20

A. Ouellette, labor	3.20
P. Ouellette, labor	3.20
F. Jepson, labor	1.60
S. Homoleski, labor	1.60
O. D. Fessenden Co., sand	5.50
Carl Ingraham, labor	1.20

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\$96.21

Audited Feb. 3rd. 1940

Darrell F. Wilkins  
 Walter B. Fessenden  
 Auditors

## REPORT OF TOWN TRUSTEES

### RECEIPTS

Jan. 31, 1939	Balance	\$122.02
Sept. 27, 1939	Received of Selectmen	
	Interest	186.00
December 27, 1939	Interest Savings Bank	.63
December 15, 1939	Received of Selectmen	
	Appropriation	50.00
January 4, 1940	Received of Selectmen	
	Interest	186.00

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Total

\$544.65

### PAYMENTS

May 13, 1939	Guy Matthews, per care	\$3.40
May 30, 1939	Central Grain Co., per care	36.72
July 10, 1939	Roland Austin, per care	6.40
Sept. 18, 1939	A. A. Goss, per care	20.20
Sept. 18, 1939	George Davis, per care	46.70
Sept. 16, 1939	Silas Wheeler, per care	14.00
Sept. 16, 1939	Harry Wilkins, per care	14.25
Dec. 15, 1939	A. A. Goss reg work	18.40
Dec. 15, 1939	George Davis, reg. work	22.60
Sept. 20, 1939	Roland Austin, per care	10.80
Sept. 20, 1939	William Hughes, reg work	10.80
Dec. 4, 1939	Nashua Casting Co., per care	12.50

Dec. 4, 1939 H. J. Whitcomb, Cement,		
per care	.80	
Jan. 30, 1939 Roswell Farrar, per care	4.75	
Jan. 30, 1939 H. J. Whitcomb, salary	15.00	
Jan. 30, 1939 Blanche Morse, Treas.		
Public Library	12.00	
Jan. 30, 1939 Blanche Morse, Treas.		
Public Library	40.00	
Total		\$289.32
Balance		\$255.33

#### Cemetery Funds Deposited

Hutchinson Fund Town Note	\$1,000.00	
Perpetual Funds Loaned to Town	8,300.00	
Manchester Savings Bank	1,205.00	
Manchester Savings Bank, Int. Accrued	106.33	
Total		\$10,611.33

#### Clarence R. Russell Fund

Jan. 31, 1940 Balance Manchester		
Savings	\$71.33	
Interest Accrued	1.97	
Total		\$73.30

#### Sawtelle Legacy

Jan. 31, 1940 Principal	\$300.00	
Jan. 31, 1940, Interest Accrued	12.00	
Total		\$312.00

#### CR.

Jan. 31, 1940, To Treasurer Public		
Library	\$12.00	
Balance		\$300.00

#### Hutchinson Legacy

Feb. 1, 1939 Principal	\$1,000.00	
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Jan. 31, 1940 Interest	40.00	
		\$1,040.00

## CR.

Jan. 31, 1940, Treasurer Public Library	\$40.00	
Balance		\$1,000.00

## William H. French Fund

Feb. 1, 1939, Principal and Int. on hand	\$735.19	
Jan. 31, 1940, Interest	28.27	
Total		\$763.46

Following is a list of legacies held by Town Trustees:

J. N. Tucker, 1882	\$500.00
Carrie Brooks, 1893	288.36
J. C. Parker, 1900	300.00
Harriet Gilson, 1900	100.00
Thomas H. Dodge, 1907	100.00
Imla M. Williams, 1907	200.00
James H. Horton, 1907	100.00
Eliza J. Parker, 1908	100.00
Martha E. Perkins, 1908	100.00
Emily M. Peterson, 1908	300.00
Bertha Hutchinson, 1910	100.00
Charles A. Blodgett, 1911	100.00
Peterson & Hutchinson, 1912	100.00
C. S. Sanborn, 1912	100.00
Harris L. Gilson, 1914	200.00
Dorcas Foster, 1914	150.00
Edward P. Gerrish, 1915	100.00
Edwin W. Smith, 1915	100.00
Emily L. Willoby, 1917	100.00
Mary J. Bosworth, 1917	100.00
Clarence R. Russell, 1917	100.00
Sarah R. Haines, 1917	100.00
J. A. Hall Heirs, 1918	100.00
Mrs. J. A. Hall, 1918	100.00

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Burge and Pierce, 1919	100.00
Green and Hall, 1919	100.00
Franklin McDonald, 1919	150.00
William G. Shattuck, 1919 by Caroline A. Shattuck	50.00
Joseph A. Shattuck, 1919 by Caroline A. Shattuck	50.00
Ellen C. Sawtelle, 1920	100.00
Levi Franklin Lowell, 1930	100.00
John Hutchinson, 1920	100.00
Daniel W. Hayden, 1921	100.00
Josephine Seaver, 1921	100.00
Cora F. Seaver, 1921	100.00
William H. French, 1922	100.00
Mrs. Josephine R. Smith, 1924	100.00
Mrs. Alice P. Parker, 1924	100.00
Mrs. J. N. Wallace—Wallace and Pierce, 1924	300.00
Mrs. Agnes Taylor, 1925	100.00
Mrs. W. G. Fisher—C. W. Highley— W. G. Taylor, 1924	100.00
Wilkes W. Corey, Heirs, by H. S. Corey Heirs, 1925	100.00
H. V. Shattuck, 1925	100.00
Ossian Ray 1925	100.00
Forace R. Hall, A. A. Hall lot, 1926	100.00
Della Hall, Melendy and Peacock, 1926	100.00
W. B. Rockwood 1927	100.00
Thomas W. Storer, 1928	100.00
E. C. Shattuck and T. A. Ross, 1929	150.00
Clarence R. Russell, 1929	200.00
Shedd—Corey—Stiles, 1929	100.00
William H. Hall, 1929	100.00
Cora B. Sayles, 1930	150.00
Mrs. Edith Carroll, Clinton Bohannon, 1932	100.00
Nancy Daniels, 1932	100.00
Mrs. Joshua Hobart,, Joshua Hobart, 1932	100.00
Mrs. John Hobart, David Hobart, 1932	100.00
Charles S. Dunbar, 1933	100.00
Russell Gilson Fund, 1934	100.00
Patenaude Swett Fund, 1935	100.00

Care of lot, Pinegrove Cemetery	
E. C. Shattuck Fund, 1935	100.00
Care of lot, Pinegrove Cemetery	
M. B. French Fund, 1935	100.00
Care of French—Kendall lot at Pinegrove Cemetery	
Charles D. Shattuck Fund, 1936	100.00
Care of lot Pinegrove Cemetery	
George E. Rockwood Fund, 1936	100.00
Care of lot, Pinegrove Cemetery	
Hall and Swallow Fund 1937	100.00
Care of lot, Pinegrove Cemetery	
George E. Betterly Fund, 1937	100.00
Care of lot, Pinegrove Cemetery	
Total	<hr/> \$8,188.36
March 11, 1937:	
Edward T. Hall Fund	105.00
Care of lot, Pinegrove Cemetery	
George W. Ball Fund	200.00
Care of lot, Pinegrove Cemetery	
	<hr/> \$8,493.36
Levi Franklin Lowell, 1938	100.00
Brooks Rockwood Fund by Ella Rockwood, 1939	100.00
Total	<hr/> \$8,693.36

## DR.

Merrimac River Savings Bank (closed)	\$542.96	
Merrimac River Savings Bank, payment	85.68	
Principal loaned to town	7,059.72	
Manchester Savings Bank	1,005.00	
	<hr/>	\$8,693.36

## Brookline Engine Co. No. 1 Fund

July 21, 1938, Deposited Nashua		
Trust Co.	\$898.26	
Interest Accrued	25.67	
	<hr/>	\$923.93

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CR.

Jan. 30, 1940, Paid Treasurer of Town

Brookline, N. H.

\$923.93

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\$923.93

A. A. GOSS,

W. C. BARNABY,

H. J. WHITCOMB,

Town Trustees.

Audited February 3, 1940.

DARRELL F. WILKINS,

WALTER B. FESSENDEN,

Auditors.

Total Assets		\$21,995.98
	<b>Liabilities</b>	
Due School District	\$1,909.95	
Bonds Outstanding	5,000.00	
Bills Outstanding	755.00	
Due Town Trustees	9,300.00	
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		\$16,964.95
Balance in favor of town		\$5,031.03
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		\$21,995.98

DARRELL F. WILKINS,  
WALTER B. FESSENDEN,  
Auditors.

**REPORT OF TOWN AUDITORS**  
Year Ending January 31, 1940

Cash on hand		\$6,820.15
	<b>Assets</b>	
Taxes bought by town prior to and including 1938	\$9,576.58	
Less redemptions	\$1,485.29	
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		\$8,091.29
Taxes uncollected:		
Poll taxes—1937	20.00	
Poll taxes—1938	53.00	
Poll and property—1939	7,011.56	
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		\$7,084.56

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF BROOKLINE, N. H. PUBLIC LIBRARY

### DR.

1939 Balance as per report	\$80.20
1940 Town of Brookline appropriation	75.00

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\$155.20

### CR.

June 15, F. W. Faxon, eleven magazines	\$17.50
Sept. 5, H. R. Huntting Co., books	7.50
Sept. 5, Barbara F. Smith, services at Library	3.00
Oct. 31, Ann K. Shattuck, part salary	37.50
Nov. 8, George N. Andrews, Insurance	2.50
Nov. 23, The National Geographic Society	3.00
Dec. 7, Yankee Magazine (for two years)	4.00
Dec. 29, H. R. Huntting Co., books	9.77
Dec. 29, Waverly Book Store	.69
Dec. 31, H. R. Huntting Co., Children's books	14.08
1940	
Jan. 19, Helen L. Corey, postage	1.34
Balance	54.32

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\$155.26

BLANCHE F. MORSE,

Treasurer.

Audited February 1, 1940.

DARRELL F. WILKINS,  
WALTER B FESSENDEN,

### CASH PAID OUT 1939

Mar. Union Circulation Co., N. Y. Stamps	.18
Mar. Ed Smith (Letter) Townsend	.03
Mar. Books borrowed from State Library	.24
Apr. 4, Good Housekeeping, stamp	.03
Apr. 4, F. W. Faxon Co., stamp	.03

Apr. 4, Union Circulation Co.	.18
Apr. 4, Franklin Press, Milford, N. H. postage	.18
Apr. 4, American Mag. (stamp)	.03
May 25, H. R. Huntting Co., (stamp)	.03
June 15, H. R. Huntting Co., (stamp)	.03
June 15, F. W. Faxon Co., (stamp)	.03
June 15, F. W. Faxon Co., Eleven Magazines Check	17.50
Sept. 5, H. R. Huntting Co., Books	7.50
Sept. 5, Barbara F. Smith, Services at Library Check	3.00
Sept. 5, Stamps	.05
Oct. 31, Ann K. Shattuck Check	37.50
Nov. 8, George N. Andrews (Insurance) Check	2.50
Nov. 8, Stamp to Library Commission Concord Check	.03
Nov. 8, Stamp to George N. Andrews	.03
Nov. 23, The National Geographic Society check	3.00
Nov. 23, The National Geographic Society Stamp	.03
Nov. 23, H. R. Huntting Co., stamp	.03
Dec. 7, Yankee Magazine, (for two years)	4.00
Dec. 12, Stamps	.06
Dec. 29, H. R. Huntting Co., books Check	9.77
Dec. 29, H. R. Huntting Co., Stamp	.03
Dec. 29, Waverly Book Store check	.69
Dec. 29, Waverly Book Store, stamp	.03
Dec. 31, H. R. Huntting Co., Books check	14.08
Dec. 31, H. R. Huntting Co., stamp	.03
Jan. 16, State Library Commission, stamp	.03
Jan. 16, Helen L. Corey, postage check	1.34

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

For the Year Ending January 31, 1940

Total Warrant	\$19,386.80
Added Warrant	280.00
Interest	7.50
Penalties on Poll Taxes	7.40
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	\$19,681.70

**Credited:**

Remittances to Treasurer	\$12,400.54
Discounts allowed	166.60
Abatements allowed	103.00
Amount uncollected	7,011.56

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\$19,681.79

Redemption on 1938 Taxes	\$1136.98
Interest	17.04
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	\$1154.02

Submitted by G. Leonard Rippon  
Tax Collector

Approved Feb. 6, 1940.

Darrell F. Wilkins

Walter B. Fessenden

Auditors

For Balance of 1937 and 1938 Taxes

**Items charged to Collector:**

Bal. of Uncollected 1938 Property Tax	\$5,602.93
Int. collected on 1938 Property Tax	377 93
Bal. of uncollected 1937 Poll Taxes	20.00
Bal. of uncollected 1938 Poll Taxes	140.00
Int. collected on 1938 Poll Taxes	3.04
Penalties collected on 1938 Poll Taxes	7.80
Additional Property Tax Warrant	84.70
Int. collected on additional Property Tax	5.41



Additional Poll Tax Warrant	10.00
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\$6,251.81

**Items Credited to Collector:**

Remittances, 1938 Property Tax	\$5,501.97
Remittances, 1938 Property Tax Interest	377.93
Remittances, 1938 Poll Tax	88.00
Remittances, 1938 Poll Tax Interest	3.04
Remittances, 1938 Poll Tax Penalties	7.80
Property Taxes Abated	186.66
Poll Taxes Abated	8.00
Uncollected Poll Taxes, 1937	20.00
Uncollected Poll Taxes, 1938	54.00
Additional Property Tax Interest	5.41

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\$6,251.81

Record of Tax Sales and Redemptions, and list of unpaid Taxes attached to this report.

Redemptions, 1939	\$328.70
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Interest and Costs on Redemptions, 1939	37.33
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I hereby certify that the attached lists showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of Oct. 1, 1939 on account of the 1937 and 1938 Tax Levies are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed,

C. WALTER BISHOP,

Audited, November 20, 1939.

DARRELL F. WILKINS,

DAVID W. FESSENDEN,

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**MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE REPORT**

Received from Selectmen	\$57.00
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Paid out:

Music	\$30.00
Speaker, Clarence DeMar	15.00
Ammunition	4.75

Flags, gross

7.25

\$57.00

NORMAN J. SPENCER,  
 FORACE R. HALL,  
 GROVER C. FARWELL,  
 Memorial Day Committee.

Audited February 1, 1940.

DARRELL F. WILKINS,  
 WALTER B. FESSENDEN,

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### REPORT OF HISTORY COMMITTEE

No books sold in 1939.

Books on hand, leather bound

23

Cloth bound

263

All books in Selectmen's Room.

WALTER E. COREY,  
 History Committee.

Audited February 1, 1940.

DARRELL F. WILKINS,  
 WALTER B. FESSENDEN,  
 Auditors.

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### FOREST FIRE REPORT 1939

Received from Town Treasurer

\$96.00

Paid for Fire Fighting

\$96.00

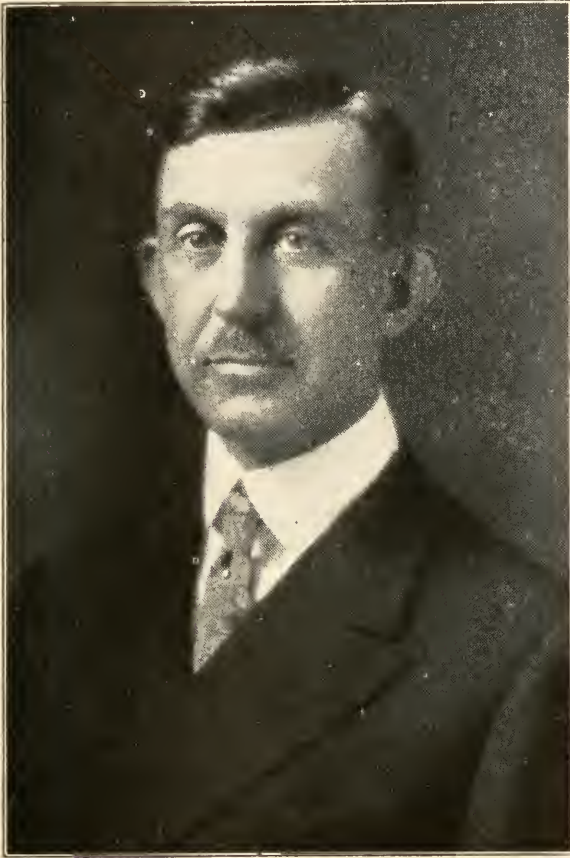
GEORGE M. ROCKWOOD,  
 Forest Fire Warden.

Audited February 1, 1940.

DARRELL F. WILKINS,  
 WALTER B. FESSENDEN,  
 Auditors

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# *In Memoriam*



Harold Campbell Bales

1887 - 1939

Superintendent of Schools - Union No. 40

Twenty Years

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## BROOKLINE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### School Officers

School Board	Term Expires
Mr. Grover C. Farwell, Chairman	1940
Mrs. Jennie S. Fessenden, Secretary	1942
Mrs. Miriam S. Jepson	1941

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Harold C. Bowley, Milford, N. H.	Superintendent of Schools
Mable J. Popple	Treasurer
David W. Fessenden	Moderator
Mrs. Edna A. Hall	Clerk
Robert Wright	Census Enumerator
Fred Manning	Truant Officer
Abbott L. Winograd, M. D., Nashua, N. H.	School Physician
Miss Venita H. Carter, R. N., Milford, N. H.	School Nurse

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### SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1939-1940

Begin	Close
September 5, 1939	November 29, 1939
December 4, 1939	December 22, 1939
January 2, 1940	February 16, 1940
February 26, 1940	April 19, 1940
April 29, 1940	June—to be determined

### PROPOSED CALENDAR FOR 1940-1941

Begin	Close
September 4, 1940	November 27, 1940
December 2, 1940	December 20, 1940
January 6, 1941	February 21, 1941
March 3, 1941	April 18, 1941
April 28, 1941	June—to be determined

## WARRANT FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Brookline qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Daniels Academy Building in said district on the 12th day of March 1940, at seven o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year, July 1, 1940 to June 30, 1941.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
8. To see if the District will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.
9. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 to cover the increased cost of high school tuition and transportation for the present school year.
10. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to have the administration records of the Brookline schools done in Brookline.
11. To see if the District will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Municipal Accounting Division and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Brookline this 7th day of February 1940.

GROVER C. FARWELL,  
MIRIAM S. JEPSON,  
JENNIE S. FESSENDEN,  
School Board.

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

Total receipts	\$7,572.45
Total payments	7,413.72
Cash Balance, June 30, 1939	\$158.73

### RECEIPTS IN DETAIL

From State:	
Equalization	\$875.38
From Selectmen by Taxation:	
Balance of 1937-1938 appropriation	823.66
1938-1939 appropriation	5,022.62
Special voted March 1939 for insurance	20.00
From Sources Other Than Taxation:	
1938 Dog Tax	115.40
Income from Dodge Trust Funds	268.42
October 1938 payment	\$131.89
April 1939 payment	136.53
Miscellaneous sales and rebates	12.90
Total receipts from all sources	\$7,138.38
Cash on hand July 1, 1938	434.07
Grand Total	\$7,572.45

## PAYMENTS

July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

(Classification and numbering conform to State Accounting requirements for districts which receive state aid.)

### Administration

1. Salaries of District Officers	\$130.00
2. Superintendent's Salary Account	128.00
3. Truant Officer and School Census	20.00
4. Expenses of Administration	94.14

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\$376.14

### Instruction

5. Teachers' Salaries	\$2,775.00
6. Text Books	128.79
7. Scholars' Supplies	50.02
8. Flags and Appurtenances	4.05
9. Other Expenses of Instruction	3.09

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\$2,960.95

### Operation and Maintenance of School Plant

10. Janitor Service	\$225.00
11. Fuel	227.50
12. Water, light and janitor's supplies	64.27
13. Minor Repairs and Expenses	78.24

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\$595.01

### Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities

14. Medical Inspection	\$135.52
15. Transportation of Pupils	588.00
16. High School and Academy Tuition	1,534.00
17. Elementary School Tuition	
18. Other Special Activities	5.00

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\$2,262.52

### Fixed Charges

19. Tax for State Wide Supervision	\$220.00
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20. Insurance and Other Fixed Charges 25.00

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\$245.00

**Outlay for Construction and Equipment**

21. Lands and New Buildings

22. Alterations of Old Buildings \$974.10

23. New Equipment

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\$974.10

**Debt, Interest and Other Charges**

24. Payments of Principal on Debt

25. Payments of Interest on Debt

26. Payments of Notes or Bills from  
Previous year

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\$0.00

Total Payments for All Purposes

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\$7,413.72

**Distribution of Expenses**

High School Tuition \$1,534.00

Support of Elementary Schools 4,284.48

General Expenses, Including Outlay 1,595.24

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\$7,413.72

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**PAYMENTS IN DETAIL**

July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

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**1. Salaries of District Officers**

Grover C. Farwell, School Board \$33.33

Jennie S. Fessenden, School Board 33.33

Miriam S. Jepson, School Board 33.34

Mable J. Popple, Treasurer 20.00

Edna A. Hall, Clerk 4.00

David W. Fessenden, Auditor 3.00

Darrell F. Wilkins, Auditor 3.00

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\$130.00

**2. Superintendent's Salary Account**

Raymond A. Dyer, Treasurer, Union

No. 40, Account of Harold C. Bales and

Ralph P. Currier \$128.00

**3. Truant Officer and School Census**

Eleanor Bathman, Census Enumerator \$10.00

Fred Manning, Truant Officer 10.00

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\$20.00**4. Expenses of Administration**

H. C. Bales Estate, Express, Toll Calls \$0.73

Raymond A. Dyer, Treasurer, Account

Union Expenses \$7.00

Jennie S. Fessenden, Paid for Express,

Deed for Well 1.57

J. L. Hammett Co., Transfer Case .95

Bessie Klein, Treasurer's Bond 4.00

Estate J. P. Melzer, Enumerator Cards 1.00

Milford School District, Warrants, Toll Calls .95

Mable J. Popple, Stamps, envelopes 1.94

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\$98 14**5. Teachers' Salaries**

Dorris Campbell, Primary, Grades I - II \$900.00

Madeline Nash, Inter. Grades III-IV-V 900.00

Alice Ouelette, Gr. Grades VI-VII-VIII 825.00

Elsie Wheeler, music 150.00

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\$2,775.00**6. Textbooks**

Allyn and Bacon \$11.10

American Book Company 11.53

Arlo Publishing Company 8.63

Ginn and Company 1.80

Rand, McNally and Company 6.21

Row, Peterson and Company 6.03

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Scott, Foresman and Company	43.82
Silver, Burdett and Company	9.75
John C. Winston and Company	29.92

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\$128.79

**7. Scholars' Supplies**

Edward E. Babb and Company	\$4.54
J. L. Hammett Company	27.50
Philip H. James	4.15
Carl Larson	4.71
Milton Bradley Company	9.12

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\$50.02

**8. Flags and Appurtenances**

The County Stores, Inc., Flag	\$4.05
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\$4.05

**9. Other Expenses of Instruction**

Allyn and Bacon, Library Book	\$0.93
G. N. Bosworth, World Almanacs	1.05
Ginn and Company, Reference Book	.78
Milford School District, Yearly Reports for Teachers	.33

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\$3.09

**10. Janitor Service**

Fred J. Manning, Grammar Room and Primary Building	\$225.00
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\$225.00

**11. Fuel**

Town of Brookline, Heat at Grammar Room	\$125.00
Elmer Corey, 12 cords of wood	96.00
Grover Farwell, Moving Wood	2.00
O. D. Fessenden Co., Kindling	4.50

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\$227.50

### 12. Water, Light and Janitor's Supplies

Town of Brookline, Light at Grammar	\$10.00
Cheshire Chemical Co., Towels; Cleaner	7.37
The County Stores, Inc., Supplies	5.62
A. A. Hall Co., Supplies	1.73
Milford School District, Towels	3.25
N. H. Gas and Electric Co., Service	36.30

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\$64.27

### 13. Minor Repairs and Expenses

Carl Clifford, Wiring at Grammar and Primary	\$10.54
The County Stores, Inc., Supplies	4.40
Jennie S. Fessenden, Paid for Tuning Piano — Balance	50
A. A. Hall Co., Supplies	9.07
J. L. Hammett Co, Teacher's Chair, Pulleys	11.96
F. H. Jepson, Labor at Primary	3.00
Johnson's Electric Supply Co., Globes Holders, Fixtures	30.00
Fred Manning, 2 Keys for Primary	.40
John R. Martin, Asbestos Paper	3.72
Leo Ouellette, Changing Boards	1.00
J. E. Webster Estate, Repairing Clock	2.00
Harlan Whitcomb, Paint and Brush	1.65

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\$78.21

### 14. Medical Inspection

Raymond A. Dyer First Aid Supplies	\$0.52
Milford Red Cross, Nurse Service	85.00
Dr. Abbott Winograd. Medical Inspection	50.00

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\$135 52

### 15. Transportation

Mrs. Edgar Hammond	\$63.00
Wesley J. Jillson	522.00

Herbert S. Perkins	3.00	
		\$588.00
<b>16. High School Tuition</b>		
Milford School District, 22 pupils		\$1,534.00
<b>18. Other Special Activities</b>		
Helene M. Rockwood, right of way to base- ball park	\$5.00	
		\$5.00
<b>19. Tax For State Wide Supervision</b>		
State Treasurer, \$2 per capita tax	\$224.00	
		\$224.00
<b>20. Insurance</b>		
Bessie M. Klein, Additional Insurance on Primary Building	\$25.00	
		\$25.00
<b>22. Alterations of Old Buildings</b>		
<b>Primary Building</b>		
F. A. Austin, Pipe and Wire	\$1.50	
D. L. & C. A. Charait, Water Rights	1.00	
David L. Charait, Labor and Materials	21.68	
Warren H. Chase, Plywood	9.80	
Carl E. Clifford, Wiring	18.50	
George F. Farwell, Labor	22.40	
Grover C. Farwell, Labor and Supplies	255.80	
E. C. Fessenden, Labor and Supplies	20.70	
O. D. Fessenden Co., Lumber	83.78	
A. A. Hall Co., Supplies	6.96	
L. Ingraham, Use of Truck	17.40	
Fred J. Manning, Labor	2.00	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Cement*	162.50	
Milford Water Works, Use of Pump	22.00	
Ernest Nye, Pump and Other Supplies	323.83	
John B. Varick Co., Supplies	4.25	
		\$974.10
Total Payments		\$7,413.72
* (3 bags cement sold — see receipts in Treasurer's report.)		

### Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

GROVER C. FARWELL,  
JENNIE S. FESSENDEN,  
MIRIAM S. JEPSON,

School Board.

Ralph P. Currier, Superintendent.

June 30, 1939.

### Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Brookline of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

DAVID W. FESSENDEN,  
DARRELL F. WILKINS,

Auditors.

July 3, 1939.

### BUDGET

July 1, 1940 to June 30, 1941

#### A. Amount Required for Support of Schools:

Teachers' Salaries	\$2,775.00
Textbooks	100.00
Scholars' supplies	100.00
Flags and appurtenances	10.00
Other expenses of instruction	15.00
Janitor service	225.00
Fuel	250.00
Water, light and janitor's supplies	60.00
Minor repairs and expenses	125.00
Health supervision	135.00

Transportation of pupils	750.00	
Other Special Activities	10.00	
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		\$4,555.00

**B. Payment of Statutory and Other Obligations:**

Salaries of district officers	\$130.00	
Truant officer and school census	20.00	
Payment of high school tuition	1,800.00	
Superintendent's excess salary	120.00	
\$2 per capita tax	240.00	
Administrative expenses	100.00	
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		\$2,410.00

Total amount required to meet

School Board's Budget	<hr/>	\$6,965.00
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**Estimated Income of District:**

Balance June 30	none	
State Aid	\$1,300.00	
Dog Tax	100.00	
Income from trust funds	250.00	
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Less estimated income		1,650.00
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Assessment required to balance School Board's Budget		5,315.00
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(Voted March 1939 for 1939-1940 \$4,429.95)

Special Appropriations Proposed:		
Increased cost of High School Tuition and transportation 1939-1940		100.00

Total assessment required to balance School Board's Budget and Appropriations		\$5,415.00
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GROVER C. FARWELL,  
MIRIAM S. JEPSON,  
JENNIE S. FESSENDEN,

February 7, 1940

School Board

# REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

For Fiscal Year July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

## DR.

Cash on hand July 1, 1938 from 1937-1938 acct.	\$434.07
Account of appropriations:	
From Selectmen Balance of 1937-1938 appro.	823.66
1938-1939 appropriation in full	5,022 62
Special voted for insurance March 1939	20.00
From Selectmen on account of other income:	
Nov. 28, 1938, Dodge Legacy	\$131.89
(October payment)	
May 18, 1939, Dodge Legacy	136.53
(April payment)	
June 29, 1939, 1938 dog tax	115.40
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	383.82
From State Treasurer:	
Dec. 16, 1938, equalization	875.38
From Sources Other than Taxation:	
Nov. 28, 1938, Dodge Legacy	\$131.89
(Workbooks)	
Nov. 28, 1938, D. L. & C. A. Charait	1.00
(Rebate on water rights)	
Dec. 3 1938, Alice Ouelette (book sold)	.80
Feb. 1, 1939, J. H. Gilson	1.30
(Unused cement sold)	
Jan. 19, 1939, W. P. Lathe	2.60
(Unused cement sold)	
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	\$7,572.45

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Paid School Board's orders	\$7,413.72
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1939	158.73
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	\$7,572.45

MABLE POPPLE,

June 20, 1939

District Treasurer.



Audited July 3, 1939

DAVID W. FESSENDEN,  
DARRELL F. WILKINS

Auditors.

### ABSTRACT OF REPORT OF CLERK

Made to the State Board of Education, School Board, and  
Selectmen. District Revenue Voted March 1939 for Fiscal  
Year, July 1, 1939 to June 30, 1940

Amount appropriated for:

Support of elementary schools	\$4,375.00
Salaries of district officers	130.00
Truant officer and school census	20.00
High school tuition	1,275.00
Supt.'s salary account	128.00
Administration	85.00
\$2 per capita tax	224.00
*Special; Insurance	20.00

Total amount of school board's budget and appropriation	\$6,257.00
Less estimated income	1,827.05
Net assessment required for School Board's Budget for school year July 1, 1939 to June 30, 1940	\$4,429.95

EDNA A. HALL,

March 14, 1939

Clerk of the School District.

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\* Withdrawn during 1938-1939.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Brookline:

I herewith tender the twenty-first annual report, my first in the series. As you well know, the year about which I am to report was largely within another's administration. Therefore, I beg your indulgence if this is not as complete as expected. A statement recently caught my eye "A beginning administrator should not be too aggressive but should adopt the normal course and gradually work in his changes." Without too much emphasis on the last part of the statement, these sentiments are mine. It is my plan to adjust myself to the organization as I come into it, to suggest changes only as the need arises or a change will better serve the pupils in the schools. There can be little dispute of the fact that everything done must contribute to the pupil welfare. We must weigh and measure every procedure in these terms.

### PERSONNEL

This present school year opened with but one change in the teaching staff. Miss Dorris Campbell, after some experience in your first and second grades, accepted a position in another town. Her replacement was Miss Rena Katsiaficas of Nashua, a recent graduate of Keene Teachers' College. She is now giving a good account of herself in the primary room. Hardly had school opened this fall before the resignation of Miss Madeline Nash was received. The available candidates for this vacancy were very limited. The final selection for her vacancy fell on Miss Elinor Gleason of Lowell, Mass., a 1939 graduate of Lowell Teachers' College. We have every reason to believe the choice a happy one. The work in both the primary and intermediate rooms is progressing well in spite of the changes, a fact which is to the credit of these two young teachers. Miss Ouellette carries on effectively as the only veteran on the staff. Miss Elsie Wheeler continues as music supervisor.

### ACCOMPLISHMENTS

I can but briefly give you information upon this sub-

ject as it pertains to the year before I began service. However, I like to report on pupil achievements. It is the phase of the work I most enjoy. I refer you to the list of pupils neither absent nor tardy as one achievement. Then you will be interested to know that of the seventy-five children in your schools in June 95% of them received promotion. This high figure is indicative of good teaching as well as pupil achievement. I hope to be more specific in regard to achievements in the next report.

### FINANCIAL DATA

Recent reports from the State Board of Education reveal the figures given below. They show the financial burden to support schools in your district as compared with some other districts. The value of State-aid is well illustrated in the tabulation. The districts named in the tabulation are those in this union together with that district which has the least expense and the one which has the greatest expense. The numbers appearing before the districts indicate their relative position in the state.

Current Cost per \$1000 of Equalized Valuation 1938-1939

	Total	State-Aid	Net
1. Monroe	\$3.12	none	\$3.12
46. Mont Vernon	8.18	none	8.18
79. Milford	9.81	none	9.81
99. Amherst	10.97	1.33	9.64
107. Brookline	11.34	2.35	8.99
125. Hollis	12.03	1.06	10.97
241. Unity	30.11	16.11	14.00

The elementary per pupil costs for the year 1938-1939 for this union are: Amherst \$72.63; Brookline \$62.09; Hollis \$63.92; Milford \$62.21; and Mont Vernon \$106.37, while the median per pupil cost for the whole state was \$81.07.

These figures should point to the fact that your schools have not been conducted at excessive cost.

### NEEDS

I feel again that my short term compels restraint. Your

School Board is anxious to wisely spend all monies entrusted in its care. To me the greatest need is redecorating of the Primary School. If all cannot be accomplished in one year, I would suggest planning for it, doing part one year, some more the next, and so on to completion. It is my opinion that the schoolhouse should reflect the best home in the town.

### CONCLUSION

I conclude this discussion with a reiteration of principles. Education is necessary to an enlightened democracy but the education some are to receive must be varied to meet needs and capacity for attainment. Hence, a broad program of subject matter is offered. The majority can assimilate the usual program. The few who cannot compel, unfortunately for our finances, a wider latitude of selection. Yet each and every one is a member of our American democracy and must be served to the best of our ability. Such is the aim of present day education.

I am especially grateful to the citizens of Brookline for the cordiality and friendly attitude. My contacts in your midst have been very pleasant. I am further appreciative of the active interest of the School Board and the conscientious efforts of your local teachers. I believe we are working co-operatively to further the interest of childhood which will lead to good citizenship as youth assumes the cares of management in due season.

I invite your attention to the statistics and other reports which follow.

Very respectfully,

HAROLD C. BOWLEY,

Superintendent of Schools.

### General Statistics For School Year 1938-1939

Number of schools maintained	3
Number of different pupils registered during year:	
Girls 48; Boys 50; Total	98
Enrollment by grades: I-13; II-13; III-11; IV-11; V-16; VI-10; VII-15; VIII-9; Total	98
Number who attended secondary school 1938-1939	22
Average elementary membership	78.70
Average elementary attendance	73.01
Per cent of attendance for year	92.76
Number of weeks in school year	33
Number of days schools were in session	176 1-2
Number of cases of tardiness (last year 60)	74
Number not absent nor tardy during school year	1
Average salary of teachers elementary	\$875.00
Salary of music teacher	150.00
Visits by School Board members	7
Visits by Superintendent	117
Visits by citizens (includes special occasions)	155
Number of school board meetings held	11

### Pupils Who Attended Milford High School 1938-1939

Marjorie Bathman (XII), Ellen Farwell (XII), Orville Fessenden (XII), Norman Homoleski (XII), Ruth Jensen (XII), John Mathews (XII), Eleanor Perkins (XII), Beatrice Soucy (XII), Stephen Homoleski (XI), Hobart Powers (XI), Paul Fessenden (X), Alpha Hall (X), Wilfred Soucy (X), Mary Whitcomb (X), Rose Bartholemy\* (IX), Mildred Bishop\* (IX), Florence Burgess (IX), Grover Farwell (IX), Olga Homoleski (IX), Dorothea Johnson (IX), Delbert Porter (IX), Florence Soucy (IX).

\*Attended only part of year.

### PERFECT ATTENDANCE

For School Year 1938-1939

Laura Homoleski

Perfect Attendance Sept. 6, 1939 Through January 31, 1940

Primary Room: Claire Ambrosini, Lois Beaubien, Nason Fessenden, Mary Wheeler.

Intermediate Room: Beatrice Beals, Clarence Corey, Mabel Durrell, Irene Fessenden, Donald Porter, Eunice Porter, Donald Saunders, Flora Wheeler, Jane Wilkins, William Works.

Grammar Room: William Beals, Ruth Eaubien, Edith Corey, Helen Corey, Frank Farwell, Beverly Hammond. Laura Homoleski, Charlotte Jensen, Virginia Perkins, Lorraine Soucy, Evelyn Whitcomb, Theodore Wirtanen.

#### Enrollment as of January 31 1940

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Boys	4	5	6	6	6	8	6	5	46
Girls	8	4	6	4	4	9	5	3	43
Totals	12	9	12	10	10	17	11	8	89

Enrollment as of January 31 for the last ten years: 76; 78; 75; 81; 79; 90; 74; 68; 69; 80,

#### RETURN OF SCHOOL CENSUS

September 1939

Robert Wright, Enumerator

Number enumerated 5 to 16 years of age	115
Girls 55; Boys 60	
Number of children 5 to 16 in local schools	95
Number 5 to 8 years not in school	8
Number 8 to 14 years not in school	0
Number 14 to 16 years not in school	1
Number attending elementary school out of town	0
Number attending high school out of town:	
under sixteen 11; over sixteen 8; total	19
Number living outside of district attending elementary school	0



## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To: Mr. Harold C. Bowley, Superintendent of Schools  
Brookline, New Hampshire.

The following is my annual report of health work in the Brookline schools.

The annual medical inspection was made by Dr. Abbott Winograd of Nashua. A tabulated record of this inspection will be found in the School Physician's report.

Four children were vaccinated by Dr. Winograd after the inspection.

Thirty-one school room visits have been made during the year and home visits as needed for various health work.

The eye examinations were made with the Snellen Chart by the nurse. Several corrections have been taken care of while others are waiting for necessary attention.

There was an epidemic of measles during the spring term. However, since September, we have been able to avoid any contagious disease and I hope we may remain free from same throughout the year.

The Dental Clinic was omitted this year but I hope the project can be continued again as teeth are a very important factor in childrens health. Brookline has always been fortunate in having a very good clinic whereby the pupils' teeth have been kept in good condition. Perhaps this year the clinic can be carried on again.

The Pre-School Round-Up and Well-Baby Clinic was held at the Daniels Academy Building. Immunization against diphtheria was given at this time.

One child had necessary throat corrections at Grasmere Hospital

In closing, I wish to thank all those who assisted me in my work this year.

Respectfully submitted,

VENITA H. CARTER, R. N.,

School Nurse.

February 9, 1940

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## REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the School Board of Brookline:

The following is my annual report of the medical inspection made September 21, 1939.

Number examined: Pupils 90; Teachers 3.

Number not examined: 2.

Number not present: 3.

Defects Found	Number of Cases
Wax in ears	4
Defective teeth	34
Diseased tonsils	14
Defective breathing	2

Respectfully submitted,

ABBOTT WINOGRAD, M. D.,  
School Physician.

February 9, 1940.



## GRADUATION EXERCISES

## Brookline Grammar School

Daniels Academy Building

Brookline, New Hampshire

Wednesday, June 21, 1939

8:00 P. M.

March of the Graduates	"Narcissus"
Prayer	Rev. C. W. Bishop
Salutatory	Bernice Corey
"A Song of Youth"	Grades 6-7-8
Poem "The Road That Leads Up High"	Luella Hughes
Song "Canoe Song"	Grades 6-7-8
Song "Amaryllis"	Group of Girls
Safety Education	Edwin Homoleski
Physical Education	Abbie Hall
Song "God Bless America"	Grades 6-7-8
Class Prophecy	Chester Barnaby, Jr.
Class Gift	Anders Hansen
Song "Our Own School"	Grades 6-7-8
Valedictory	Anders Hansen
Presentation of Diplomas	Mrs. Frederick Jepson
Song "Herons Homeward Flying"	Grades 6-7-8

Class Colors — Blue and Gold

Class Motto — "Courage Forever"

Class Marshall—Phyllis Cummings

Acceptor of Gift — Winston Hall

Diploma Girl — Irene Fessenden

Music Supervisor — Miss Elsie Wheeler

Teacher — Miss Alice Ouelette

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MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BROOKLINE, N. H.  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1939

Date, Name, Age, By Whom Married

1939

- Jan. 11—(1)Matthew Fountain 24, Aleada E. Austin 18; Charles Albert Smith, Justice of Peace.
- Jan. 21—John A. Decola 22, Dorothy McMillen 18, Forace R. Hall, Justice of the Peace.
- April 9—John F. Knipschild 20, Reba Kuykendall 18, Forace R. Hall, Justice of the Peace.
- April 15—Joseph B. Beck 50, Fay Brown Thompson 48, Forace R. Hall, Justice of the Peace.
- May 27—(2)Joseph Walter Ouelette 31, Anna Louise Lorden 29, M. J. Burke, Priest.
- June 17—Horace G. Smith 22, Phyllis M. Hancock 18, Forace R. Hall Justice of the Peace.
- June 18—Paul E. Thuriow 40, Shirley S. Boardman 41, Forace R. Hall, Justice of the Peace.
- July 9—Wesley Young 24, Charlene Fern Armstrong 22, Edmond D. Lupien, Clergyman.
- July 11—George Edward Davis 28, Alberta Dietier 27, C. Walter Bishop, Clergyman.
- August 25—(3)Harold F. Burgess 24, Ruth E. Jensen 17, Francis S. Bernauer, Clergyman.
- Oct. 12—Woodrow L. Kurtz 26, Alice Z. Clifford McLellan 24, Forace R Hall, Justice of the Peace.
- Dec. 2—(4)Cesare Raymond Vanetti 21, Delia Rose Beaubien 21, Donald C. Bruce, Justice of the Peace.
- Dec. 16—Arnold F. Wright 26, K. Eliza Chase Walch 32, William E. Sipe, Clergyman.

1—Married in Lynn, Mass.

2—Married in Pepperell, Mass.

3—Married in Townsend, Mass.

4—Married in Milford, N. H.

**BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BROOKLINE, N. H.  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1939**

Date, Name of Child, Name of Father, Maiden Name of Mother  
 August 8, 1939—Ferol Ann Hall (1), Russell Hall, Margaret Gober.  
 Sept. 11, 1939—Edith Louise Stewart (2), Clyde Stewart, Gertrude Wilkins.  
 Sept. 26, 1939—Elizabeth Carol Keech (2), Fred Leslie Keech, Mabel Watkins.  
 October 18, 1939—Carolyn Jean Tasker (3), Arthur Lester Tasker Anna  
     Caroline Neumyer.  
 Dec. 31, 1939—George Edward Davis (4), George Edward Davis, Alberta  
     Evelyn Dietier.

**NOTE—**

- 1—Born in Fitchburg, Mass.
- 2—Born in Nashua, N. H.
- 3—Born in Brookline, N. H.
- 4—Born in Goffstown, N. H.

**DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BROOKLINE, N. H.  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1939**

Date, Name, Age, Name of Parents

January 15, 1939—(1) John Beals 54, John C. Beals, Martha Dean.  
 March 8, 1939—(2) Anna Mary Sargent Sanborn 95      ——— ———  
 April 9, 1939—(3) Harry F. Hobart 79, George W. L. Hobart, Lydia Maria  
     Sawtelle.  
 April 11 1939—Clarence Rufus Russell 84, Rufus G. Russell, Mary A. French  
 May 3, 1939—Delia E. Chase, 73, Frederick W. Peacock, Almira F. Melendy.  
 August 8, 1939—(4) Ferol Ann Hall, 1 hour, Russell Hall, Margaret Gober.  
 Sept. 24, 1939—(5) Rachael M. Johnson 82,      ——— ———  
 October 18, 1939—Leotide La Montagne 71, Charles Morand, Morin  
 November 9, 1939—Christian Orvad Bedders 73,      ——— ———

**NOTE—**

- 1—Place of Death—Goffstown, N. H.
- 2—Place of Death—Wellesley, Mass., ashes brought here May  
     28, 1939
- 3—Place of Death—Pepperell, Mass.
- 4—Place of Death—Fitchburg, Mass.
- 5—Place of Death—Everett, Mass.

The foregoing is a transcript of all the Births, Marriages and Deaths, that have been reported to the Town Clerk of the Town of Brookline, for the year ending December 31, 1939.

FORACE R. HALL, Town Clerk





